

# Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application

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### Japanese Language Declaration

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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

### A DEVICE FOR PURIFYING THE EXHAUST GAS OF AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION

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#### ENGINE

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その明細書を  
(該当するものにチェック)  
 ここに添付する。

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出願番号第\_\_\_\_\_として出願され、

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私は、前記のとおり補正した請求の範囲を含む前記明細書の内容を検討し、理解したことを陳述する。

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私は、合衆国法典第35章第119条に基づく下記の外国特許出願または発明者証出願の外国優先権利益を主張し、さらに優先権の主張に係わる基礎出願の出願日前の出願日を有する外国特許出願または発明者証出願および/または米国仮出願を以下に明記する：

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 is attached hereto.

was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ as  
Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_  
(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and/or any U.S. provisional application(s) listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior foreign and/or provisional applications  
先行外国出願/仮出願

2000-226224 (Pat. Appln.) Japan

21/July/2000

Priority claimed  
優先権の主張

(Yes/はい)  (No/いいえ)

2000-318344 (Pat. Appln.) Japan

18/October/2000

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合衆国特許出願の利益を主張し、本願の請求の範囲  
各項に記載の主題が合衆国法典第35章第112条第1  
項に規定の態様で先の合衆国出願に開示されていな  
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35,  
United States code, §120 of any United States  
application(s) listed below and, in so far as the  
subject matter of each of the claims of this application  
is not disclosed in the prior United States  
application in the manner provided by the first  
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Regulations, §1.56 which occurred between the  
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